## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

Criminal No. 23-00368 (5) (MJD/ECW)

TONY MICHAEL MELINE,

Defendant.

Thomas M. Hollenhorst, Assistant United States Attorney, Counsel for Plaintiff.

Daniel Repka, Repka Law, LLC, Counsel for Defendant.

The above-entitled matter comes before the Court upon the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge Elizabeth Cowan Wright dated August 2, 2024. [Doc. 217.] No objections have been filed to the Report and Recommendation.

Pursuant to statute, the Court has conducted a <u>de novo</u> review upon the record. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); D. Minn. LR 72.2(b). Based upon that review, the Court adopts the Report and Recommendation.

Accordingly, based upon the files, records, and proceedings herein, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED**:

- The Court ADOPTS the Report and Recommendation of United States
   Magistrate Judge Elizabeth Cowan Wright dated August 2, 2024 [Doc.
   217]; and
- 2. Defendant's Pretrial Motion for Severance [Doc. 96] is DENIED.

Dated: September 30, 2024 <u>s/Michael J. Davis</u>

Michael J. Davis

**United States District Court**